

# Emily's In Heaven

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I was half asleep when I heard the news, sad words on the phone  
I just couldn't believe my ears, I couldn't believe she's gone  
I tried to make some sense of it, but sense I could not make

How a girl like her could go like that, it must be some mistake  
Well, I'd known her since forever, as far back as I go

She always had an answer for the things I didn't know  
She never hurt anybody, never did them wrong

She walked to the tune of life, teaching everyone the song  
Now Emily's in Heaven, but I'm awake in bed  
Sometimes how I wish, the good Lord took me instead  
But I guess the good die young and life just isn't fair

But Emily's in Heaven, she'll be waiting for me there  
Eleven different doctors but not one had a clue  
They rushed her to emergency but there was nothing that they could do  
They said, "She had a weak heart, she'd always been that way"

I said, "She just gave too much of it away"  
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But Emily's in Heaven, she'll be waiting for me there  
We laid her down for peaceful sleep, time was standing still

Everybody said a prayer on top of Moonlight Hill  
I said goodbye with a rose, how she loved them so

Then I turned away, tried not to cry and did my best to go  
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